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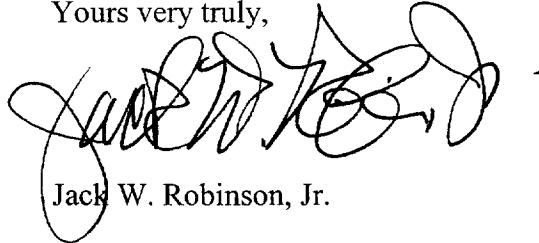
Mr. David Waddell
Executive Secretary
Tennessee Regulatory Authority
460 James Robertson Parkway
Nashville, Tennessee 37201

In Re: *Joint Petition of Crockett Telephone, Inc., People's Telephone Company,
West Tennessee Telephone Company, Inc. and the Consumer Advocate
Division of the Office of the Attorney General for the Approval and
Implementation of Earnings Review Settlement*
Docket No. 99-00995

Dear Mr. Waddell:

Enclosed for filing in connection with the above-referenced docket are the original and thirteen copies of the Motion of AT&T for Gene V. Coker to Appear *Pro Hac Vice* with supporting Affidavit of Gene V. Coker. Copies are being served on counsel for parties of record.

Yours very truly,



Jack W. Robinson, Jr.

JWR/ghc
Enclosures

cc: T.G. Pappas and R. Dale Grimes
Timothy C. Phillips
Gene V. Coker
Garry Sharp

**BEFORE THE TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY
NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE**

IN RE: *JOINT PETITION OF CROCKETT TELEPHONE COMPANY, INC.,
PEOPLES TELEPHONE COMPANY, WEST TENNESSEE TELEPHONE
COMPANY, INC., AND THE CONSUMER ADVOCATE DIVISION OF
THE OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL FOR THE APPROVAL
AND IMPLEMENTATION OF EARNINGS REVIEW SETTLEMENT*

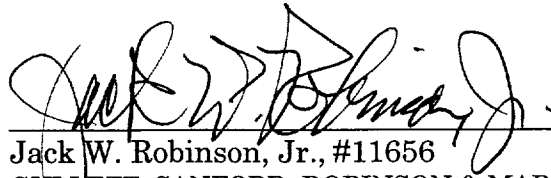
Docket No. 99-00995

**MOTION OF AT&T COMMUNICATIONS OF THE SOUTH CENTRAL
STATES, INC. FOR GENE V. COKER TO APPEAR *PRO HAC VICE***

Pursuant to Rule 19 of the Rules of the Tennessee Supreme Court and TRA Rule 1220-1-2-.04(7), AT&T Communications of the South Central States, Inc. ("AT&T") moves that Gene V. Coker be allowed to represent it and appear on its behalf before the Tennessee Regulatory Authority in the above-titled proceeding. The Affidavit of Gene V. Coker, as required by Rule 19, is being filed herewith.

Jack W. Robinson, Jr. of the firm of Gullett, Sanford, Robinson & Martin, PLLC, who resides and maintains a law office in Nashville, Tennessee, is likewise representing AT&T in this proceeding and consents to the association of Gene V. Coker in representing AT&T herein.

Respectfully submitted,

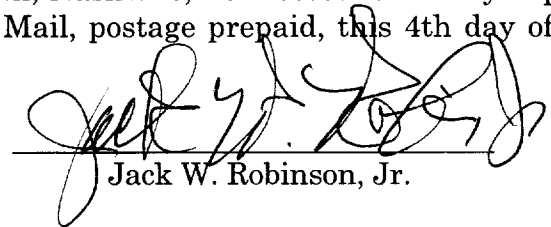


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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Jack W. Robinson, Jr., hereby certify that I have served a copy of the foregoing Motion on T. G. Pappas and R. Dale Grimes, Esq. Bass, Berry & Sims, 315 Deaderick Street, Suite 2700, Nashville, TN 37238-2700 and Timothy Phillips, Esq., Consumer Advocate Division, 425 5th Avenue, North, Nashville, Tennessee 37243 by depositing a copy of the same in the United States Mail, postage prepaid, this 4th day of October, 2001.



Jack W. Robinson, Jr.

**BEFORE THE TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY
NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE**

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**AFFIDAVIT TO APPEAR *PRO HAC VICE*
BEFORE THE TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY**

STATE OF TENNESSEE)
) SS
COUNTY OF DAVIDSON)

Affiant, Gene V. Coker, being first duly sworn, petitions the Tennessee Regulatory Authority ("TRA") pursuant to Rule 19 of the Rules of the Tennessee Supreme Court and TRA Rule 1220-1-2-.04(7), for permission to appear in the above-styled proceeding as co-counsel for AT&T Communications of the South Central States, Inc. ("AT&T"), and does hereby state and swear as follows:

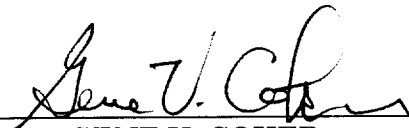
1. My name is Gene V. Coker.
2. My residence address is 4560 Ponte Vedra Drive, S.E., Marietta, Georgia 30067.
3. My office address is 1200 Peachtree Street, N.E., Suite 8100, Atlanta, Georgia 30309.
4. I am petitioning the TRA to represent AT&T in the above-styled proceeding only.

5. I am currently licensed, in good standing, and admitted to practice before the highest court for Georgia, which is the State of my residence.

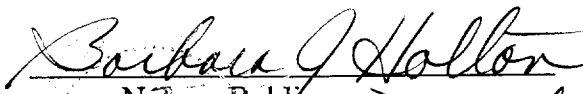
6. There is no disciplinary action or investigation of my conduct pending in any court or any jurisdiction.

7. I agree to subject myself to the jurisdiction of the courts of Tennessee and of the TRA in any manner arising out of my conduct in this proceeding and agree to be bound by the Code of Professional Responsibility applicable to Tennessee lawyers and the interpretation thereof by Tennessee courts and the TRA.

8. I am associated in my representation of AT&T in this proceeding with Jack W. Robinson, Jr., who is licensed, in good standing, and resides and maintains a law office in Nashville, Tennessee.

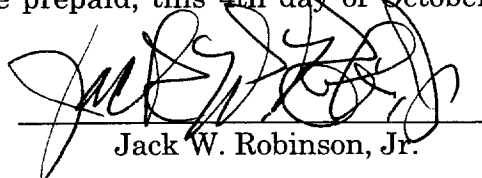

GENE V. COKER

Sworn to and subscribed before me
this 4th day of October, 2001.


Notary Public
My Commission Expires: November 29, 2003

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I, Jack W. Robinson, Jr., hereby certify that I have served a copy of the foregoing Affidavit on T. G. Pappas and R. Dale Grimes, Esq. Bass, Berry & Sims, 315 Deaderick Street, Suite 2700, Nashville, TN 37238-2700 and Timothy Phillips, Esq., Consumer Advocate Division, 425 5th Avenue, North, Nashville, Tennessee 37243 by depositing a copy of the same in the United States Mail, postage prepaid, this 4th day of October, 2001.


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